

Public Hall, Lodi, California, Aug. 8, 1910.

In adjourned regular session of the Board of Trustees of the City of Lodi, the following trustees being present: J.M. Blodgett, G.E. Lawrence, C.A. Rich and L. Willinger. Absent : Trustee F.C. Hale. President Lawrence presiding:

The Minutes of the Previous Meeting were read and approved.

The hour having arrived for the opening of bids for the laying of pipe &c., the following bids were opened and read:

Williams and Belser, \$6795.00; Appleton and Frederickson Bros., \$6901.75; E.H. Fink, \$7300.00; J.C.D. McMahan, no total bid.

The bids were then referred to Engineer Henderson and Attorney Jones, who recommended that the bid of Williams and Belser be accepted.

In the matter of laying the pipe ~~and~~ etc., it was moved by Trustee J.M. Blodgett and seconded by Trustee C.A. Rich that the entire bid of Williams and Belser, being the lowest and best bid, is hereby accepted and the contract awarded; and that all and singular other bids be rejected and the City Clerk authorized to return the certified check said bidders whose bids are rejected.

The motion was carried by the affirmative votes of President Lawrence and Trustees Blodgett, Rich and Willinger, whereupon the certified check accompanying the rejected bids were returned to the respective bidders.

Upon motion regularly made and carried the bond of Williams and Belser was fixed at \$5000.00, in addition to the bond required by the statute.

Mr. S.S. Murphy, on behalf of the Coffee Club, asked permission to have a circular electric sign placed in front of the Coffee Club, on the post already there, and not extending across the sidewalk. The request was granted.

The proposition of Turner Bros. to place a sign 4'x 14' diagonally across the sidewalk in front of their garage, being contrary to the provisions of the City ordinances, was refused.

A communication from the teamsters, asking that certain licenses on teaming be imposed, was read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

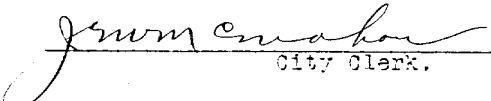
A communication from Dr. Colman, Health Officer, recommending the installation of a storm sewer and the appointment of an attorney was read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

An application from Appleton and Frederickson Bros., asking for a further extension of time in which to complete their contract, was read and, upon the recommendation of Engineer Henderson, a motion was duly passed granting a further extension of time of two weeks from the 15th. of August, 1910.

Marshal Coleman stated the circumstances of the attempt made by Appleton and others to connect with the sewer back of the Lodi Hotel on the evening of Aug. 5th., stating that the pipe had been connected to the sewer and three joints of pipe laid and cemented.

Upon motion regularly made, seconded and carried, the Board adjourned until ~~ixix~~ August 11th., 1910, at the usual hour and place. So ordered.

Attest:


City Clerk.